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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**Request for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for responding to the Office Action dated 19 June 2003, be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for two (2) months (\$410.00 for a large entity) from 19 July 2003 to 19 September 2003. The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for this extension of time is paid by enclosed check and any necessary additional fees may be charged to, or overpayments credited to, Deposit Acct. No. 03-0678.

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